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SUBJECT: 31ST UNGA - SECOND COMMITTEE NOTE ON RESOLUTION
CONCERNING NATIONAL RESOURCES IN OCCUPIED ARAB TERRITORIES

REF: USUN DOCUMENT A/C.2/31/L.54

1. ON DEC 8 THE SECOND COMMITTEE ADOPTED THE RESOLUTION
IN REF ON PERMANENT SOVEREIGNTY OVER NATIONAL RESOURCES IN
THE OCCUPIED ARAB TERRITORIES BY A VOTE OF 94-2 (US, ISRAEL)
-24. THE ABSTENTIONS INCLUDED THE EC-9 (EXCEPT LUXEMBOURG -
NOT PRESENT), AUSTRALIA, AUSTRIA, BARBADOS, BOLIVIA, CANADA,
COSTA RICA, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, HONDURAS, ICELAND, MALAWI,
NEW ZEALAND, NICARAGUA, NORWAY, PARAGUAY, SWEDEN, AND URUGUAY.

2. IN THE US EXPLANATION OF VOTE, AMB MYERSON RECALLED THAT
THE US HAD VOTED AGAINST SIMILAR RESOLUTIONS IN THE PAST. HE
ALSO SAID THAT THIS WAS NOT AN APPROPRIATE ISSUE FOR SECOND
COMMITTEE CONSIDERATION.

3. PORTUGAL AND CHILE, WHILE SUPPORTING THE RESOLUTION,
ANNOUNCED RESERVATIONS ON OPERATIVE PARA 1 WHICH
CALLED FOR RESTITUTION AND FULL COMPENSATION FOR THE
EXPLOITATION OF RESOURCES IN THE OCCUPIED ARAB TERRITORIES.

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